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**INVENTION:** 

"ELECTRO-CHEMICAL MACHINING APPARATUS"

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 1, 2002, the undersigned submits an executed Oath and Declaration as executed by the inventor(s) on May 8, 13, 21 and 31, 2002.

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